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PUBLIC PROGRAMS RECEIVE SUPPORT FROM
MONTANA COMMITTEE FOR THE HUMANITIES

MISSOULA--

The Montana Committee for the Humanities has announced awards totaling \$19,890 in matching funds to five non-profit groups to support public programs. The MCH is the state affiliate of the National Endowment for the Humanities.

The Northern Cheyenne Corrections Project received \$8,804 for a conference scheduled Nov. 1 at Doll Knife Memorial College, Lame Deer. Tribal elders, attorneys, federal judges, other professionals and the general public will take part in the program on questions related to prison and Native Americans. Jack Badhorse, Lame Deer, is project director.

Christian Campus Ministries (Ark Ministries) at the University of Montana, Missoula, received \$3,432 for a conference titled "Educating for the '80s: The Role of the Liberal Arts at Montana's Colleges and Universities." The conference will be Nov. 21 and 22 on the UM campus. The Rev. Thomas Lee, Missoula, is project director.

The Fort Missoula Historical Museum, Missoula, received a planning grant of \$1,196 to develop a program to inform the public about the work of Albert J. Gibson, an early Missoula architect, and to discuss issues related to historic preservation. The sponsors will plan an exhibition that will be available to Montana communities, a brochure, walking tours and a lecture-discussion series.

Receipients of grants for projects that took place in October were the Montana Association of Language Teachers, \$1,350 for its annual conference, held in Missoula, and the Northern Rockies Action Group, Helena, \$5,108 for a conference in Great Falls on water use and allocation.